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CABLE ADDRESS  
"KOSTER, BRIDGETON, N. J."  
"WELL GROWN AND WELL GRADED"

ALL GOODS ARE OFFERED  
AND SOLD UNDER THE TERMS  
GIVEN IN OUR VARIOUS LISTS

## KOSTER & CO. NURSERYMEN BRIDGETON, N. J.

JULY 1927

### STRICTLY WHOLESALE

*This list supersedes all previous lists.*

While we take great care in not booking more orders than our stock warrants, we reserve the right to pro-rate all orders if at the time of digging we find shortages do exist.

## Lilacs,

Few shrubs are more universally admired than the Lilacs; they are among the most beautiful of our spring-flowering shrubs.

Since new varieties have come in the market, lilacs are planted in larger quantities and the exquisite varieties which have been obtained in the last few years should rapidly find a place in every garden now that the nurserymen in this country are offering same. The color, the fragrance, the size of the trusses and the size of the individual flowers are greatly admired by those who have seen these newer varieties.

Lilacs grow freely and flower profusely in almost any situation; severe pruning after flowering and a top dressing of manure will secure healthy, free flowering plants.

Lilacs grow very early; it is not advisable to ship them when they are making their growth, the young shoots break very readily and spring planting practically sets back the plants one year. We therefor recommend fall planting, early enough to enable the plants to make roots before the winter which they easily do. They should not be pruned the first year, only the very long branches should be cut off in the spring to even up the plants. The next spring they ought to be pruned severely in order to obtain strong growth.

Our Lilacs are grafted or budded very low on privet; they will quickly get on own roots after transplanting provided the union is placed about four inches below the surface of the ground.

In a separate list we have classified the lilacs we grow under five "Color Headings," recommending some of the very choicest singles and doubles under each heading. If you will write for this list we will be glad to send a copy.

### French Varieties.

Strong plants ft. 2 and larger with many branches.....	per 100	\$ 50.00
Plants 18-24 in. minimum of 3 branches (No. 1) .....	"	35.00
Lining-out stock, 12-18 in. well branched.....	"	25.00

*Charles X*, single, fine clusters of lilac flowers, slightly violet.

*Charles Joly*, double, dark violet purple with silvery reverse.

*Hugo Koster*, single, lilac with reddish tint.

*Mme. Casimir Perier*, double, white, very fine.

*Mme. Lemoine*, double, white, very large flowers.

*Marie Legraye*, single, pure white, very free.

*Michael Buchner*, double, pale lilac.

*President Grevy*, double, blue, fine, large trusses.

*Souvenir de Louis Spath*, single, purplish violet, large trusses.

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## Lilacs, (Continued.)

The varieties marked \* belong to a new class of Lilacs, the "Early Lilacs," a cross between one of the early flowering Lilacs and *Syringa Giraldi*. This cross originated a new race of tall growing Lilacs, which flower before those now known.

### New French Varieties.

	NO. 1	LINING OUT
	18-24"	12-18"
* <i>Berryer</i> , semi-double, clear mauve.....per 100	\$ 75.00	\$ 50.00
* <i>Buffon</i> , single, mauve pink.....	75.00	50.00
<i>Capitaine Baltet</i> , single, warm violet lilac .....	100.00	60.00
* <i>Claude Bernard</i> , semi-double, bright lilac.....	85.00	50.00
<i>De Miribel</i> , single, bluish violet.....	100.00	60.00
* <i>Descartes</i> , single, pinkish mauve.....	85.00	50.00
<i>Diderot</i> , single, claret-violet.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Edith Cavell</i> , double, pure white.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Edouard Andre</i> , double, clear rose.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Emile Gentil</i> , double, bright cobalt-blue.....	85.00	50.00
<i>Jean Mace</i> , double, bluish mauve.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Lamartine</i> , single, rosy mauve.....	75.00	50.00
<i>Leon Gambetta</i> , double, pinkish lilac.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Louvois</i> , single, purplish violet.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Marechal Lannes</i> , semi-double, bluish violet.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Maurice Barres</i> , single, pale lilac.....	100.00	60.00
* <i>Mirabeau</i> , single, lilac mauve.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Miss Ellen Willmott</i> , double, snow-white.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Montaigne</i> , double, pinkish mauve.....	100.00	60.00
<i>Mont-Blanc</i> , single, white, very beautiful.....	100.00	60.00
* <i>Pascal</i> , single, typical lilac.....	75.00	50.00
<i>President Faillieres</i> , double, pale lavender .....	100.00	60.00
<i>Reaumur</i> , single, violet carmin.....	100.00	60.00
* <i>Vauban</i> , double, tender mauve.....	75.00	50.00
<i>Vestale</i> , single, pure white.....	75.00	50.00
<i>Waldeck-Rousseau</i> , double, deep violet.....	100.00	60.00

### Three Outstanding Novelties.

*Mrs. Edward Harding*, double, bright carmine, big panicles of large, full flowers. This variety was awarded the special prize founded by Mrs. Edward Harding for the best double red lilac.....each \$2.00

*Jan van Tol*, single, pure white, very large trusses and extremely large individual flowers; it is a very good grower and flowers very freely.....each \$1.00

*Katherine Havemeyer*, double, cobalt blue, flushed mauve; enormous flower of the most perfect shape with broad, imbricated lobes. One of the handsomest lilacs.....each \$2.00

### Tree Lilacs.

We have some very fine Tree Lilacs to offer in a fine assortment; we can supply these either by name or by color.

Stems ft. 2½ to 3, well grown heads.....each \$1.25